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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Jeffrey A. Trogolo et. al.)
Application No.: 10/032,372)
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For: Encapsulated Inorganic Antimicrobial Additive)
for Controlled Release)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 26, 2003

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued on March 26, 2003 with respect to the above-identified pending patent application, please enter the following amendment and election. Applicants also wish to notify the Examiner of copending patent application Serial Number 10/032,370, filed the same day as the instant application, directed to High Aspect Ratio Encapsulated Inorganic Antimicrobial Additive for Controlled Release.